## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA JACKSONVILLE DIVISION

DONG FENG, a/k/a Ken Feng, et al.,

Petitioners.

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Case No. 3:19-mc-34-J-34MCR

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Respondent.

## ORDER

THIS CAUSE is before the Court on the Report and Recommendation (Dkt. No. 21; Report) entered by the Honorable Monte C. Richardson, United States Magistrate Judge, on December 11, 2020. In the Report, Judge Richardson recommends that the United States' Motion to Dismiss Petition to Quash IRS Summonses (Dkt. No. 4) be granted; the Petitioners' Corrected Petition to Quash Summonses (Dkt. No. 3) be denied; and the Clerk of the Court be directed to terminate any pending motions and close the case. See Report at 2, 26. To date, no objections to the Report have been filed, and the time for doing so has passed.

The Court "may accept, reject, or modify, in whole or in part, the findings or recommendations made by the magistrate judge." 28 U.S.C. § 636(b). If no specific objections to findings of facts are filed, the district court is not required to conduct a <u>de novo</u> review of those findings. <u>See Garvey v. Vaughn</u>, 993 F.2d 776, 779 n.9 (11th Cir. 1993); <u>see also</u> 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1). However, the district court must review legal conclusions <u>de novo</u>. See <u>Cooper-Houston v. S. Ry. Co.</u>, 37 F.3d 603, 604 (11th Cir. 1994);

<u>United States v. Rice</u>, No. 2:07-mc-8-FtM-29SPC, 2007 WL 1428615, at \* 1 (M.D. Fla. May 14, 2007).

Upon independent review of the file and for the reasons stated in the Magistrate Judge's Report, the Court will accept and adopt the legal and factual conclusions recommended by the Magistrate Judge. Accordingly, it is hereby

## ORDERED:

- The Report and Recommendation (Dkt. No. 21) is ADOPTED as the opinion of the Court.
- The United States' Motion to Dismiss Petition to Quash IRS Summonses (Dkt. No. 4) is GRANTED.
- 3. Petitioners' Corrected Petition to Quash Summonses (Dkt. No. 3) is **DENIED**.
- 4. The Clerk of the Court is directed to terminate any pending motions and close the case.

**DONE AND ORDERED** at Jacksonville, Florida, this 5th day of January, 2021.

MARCIA MORALES HOWARD
United States District Judge

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